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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2/19/2007

SPONSOR HTPWC LAST UPDATED _____ HB 365/HTPWCS

SHORT TITLE Female Veterans' License Plates SB _____

ANALYST Schuss

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY07	FY08	FY09		
	\$0.1*	\$0.1*	Recurring	Motor Vehicle Division
	\$0.1*	\$0.1*	Recurring	Armed Forces Veterans License Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Revenue Decreases) *Minimal Impact

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

The House Transportation and Public Works Committee Substitute for House Bill 365 provides for special motor vehicle and motorcycle "Women Veterans Serve Proudly" registration plates for women armed forces veterans.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

TRD has stated in previous special registration plate proposals that they cannot accurately estimate the number of special plates that may be requested. Approximately 25,000 special plates are currently issued under 22 different kinds. The most common are the veterans of various armed services (9,269 total) and collegiate plates (8,957 total), but several of the special plates have been issued in much smaller quantities.

A fee of \$15.00 in addition to the regular motor vehicle registration fee will be charged for the special motor vehicle registration plate. The Motor Vehicle Division will retain \$7 and the remaining \$8 will be credited to the armed forces veterans' license fund. If a validating sticker is issued in lieu of the special plate this fee will be waived.

A fee of \$7.00 will be charged in addition to regular registration fees for a special motorcycle registration plate. A new fee will be charged for each year the owner desires to have the plate.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

TRD has requested in previous bills of this nature that the effective date be July 1, 2008 due to necessary system changes that must be made to accommodate these special registration plates.

HB 365 complies with this request and states an effective date of July 1, 2008

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